


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
EL PASO DIVISION

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WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

Carl Monroe Gordon,

Defendant.

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SEALED

CRIMINAL NO. EP-19-

m-09928-ATB

**Government's Motion to Seal
Criminal Complaint and Related Documents**

The United States of America hereby moves this Court to seal the Criminal Complaint and related documents in this case, and in support thereof, states as follows:

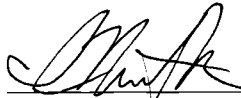
1. On or about December 13, 2019, a Criminal Complaint and affidavit in support were filed charging the above-named defendant in the above-captioned cause. Related to these proceedings, the Court issued a warrant for the Defendant's arrest and the Government filed a motion to detain without bond pending the final disposition of the case.
2. The Defendant is unaware of the charges pending against him. The premature disclosure of the existence of the Criminal Complaint and related documents would jeopardize the ability of law enforcement officers to locate the Defendant and apprehend him without incident.
3. The Government therefore seeks an Order of the Court placing the Criminal Complaint and related documents concerning the above named Defendant in the above numbered cause under seal, until further order of the Court. The Government requests that the Order of the Court allow for the disclosure of the existence of the arrest warrant to federal and other law enforcement agencies to the extent necessary to locate and apprehend the defendant to include entering the appropriate information into any law enforcement databases. **When**

the Defendant is arrested, the Criminal Complaint and related documents will be unsealed.

For the foregoing reasons, the United States respectfully requests that the Court issue an Order sealing this motion as well as the Criminal Complaint, affidavit, arrest warrant, and motion to detain in the above-captioned case.

Respectfully submitted,

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